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Inside Student Programs

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You asked for it students and you got it! The Laboratory's Science and Technology Base Education Program Office (STB/EPO) has developed an on-line database for posting of work/education opportunities for students. The web site will provide students a place to search for open student positions and allow Laboratory personnel a place to post student opportunities but also to review student responses. The database is available to all undergraduate and graduate students at: <http://spi-external.lanl.gov/> For questions or concerns associated with the database, contact Richard Alexander at alexander_rick@lanl.gov or by phone 665-4373. Pass this information on to everyone you know! The more mentors/students that use it, the more opportunities for students!

Funding Available for Students

The National Physical Science Consortium (NPSC) is offering a unique and exciting SIX year doctoral fellowship program. NPSC welcomes applications from all qualified students with continued emphasis toward the recruitment of minority and female science and engineering students. For more information about requirements and application information see the NPSC webpage at www.npsc.org. Hurry application deadline is November 15, 2002.

Upcoming Events

IM Division Bake Sale for
United Way
Date: November 7, 2002
Time: 7:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
Location: Otowi Building,
second floor lobby

Know a student who is not receiving Student News, Student Views? Invite them to contact eramirez@lanl.gov to get on the list serv.

Student Views



Ask EPO

Have a question, concern, or suggestion about your internship or student programs in general? Email eramirez@lanl.gov and your question could be in the next issue of *Student News*, *Student Views*. All questions will be held confidential.

Question 1- My friend applied for a UGS student position a month ago and she received a phone call from the mentor saying she was chosen for the job. She was told she could begin her job November 25. Should she just show up and start work?

Answer 1- NO! A student is only eligible to report to work when they have received the official offer letter and have confirmed the date with the mentor.



Community Corner

Women's Rugby Club in Northern New Mexico is in search of female women over the age of 18 to play on the teams. There are over 50 teams within the southwest region and no experience is necessary to play. Call Milissa at 505-480-5855 to learn about this great opportunity to meet new people in the community and from other parts of the country!



Do you remember what snow looks like? It's that white cold stuff that falls from the sky and maybe if Los Alamos is lucky this winter the town will get enough to open Pajarito Ski Hill.! Check out www.skipajarito.com or www.nmhomes.com/ski.html to get ski hill openings, weather updates, lift ticket cost and location of New Mexico's ski areas! Remember LANL has three days off in November (11, 28, &29) which would be a great time to check out New Mexico's winter activities!

Safety/Security Tip of the Week

November 21 is The Great American Smokeout! Have you ever tried to quit smoking? Take the challenge and **attempt** to quit smoking for good, or even for a day. A pack of cigarettes cost about \$4.00! Just think about all of the money you could save and even more important think about your HEALTH!



Valles Caldera Adventures is now offering: guided hiking, night sky tours, special interest hikes, van tours, and kids day at the preserve. Coming this winter is snow shoeing and cross country skiing. The adventures are in areas where no previous public access has occurred! For ticket information or to view a list of scheduled events visit www.vallescalderadventures.com or call toll free at 800-440-2858.

About The Education Program Office...

The Education Program Office is dedicated to developing an employment pipeline for the Laboratory. Efforts begin with K-12 students and teachers and progress through undergraduate and graduate level students. The following teams are located within the Education Program Office: the Math and Science Academy Outreach team, the Laboratory's Student Program Coordination team and the Critical Skills Development Program team. We strive to enhance the learning environment at the Laboratory for both the students and Laboratory staff members.

